



**Position Statement by the American Volleyball Coaches Association
(Women's Volleyball): 2005-126 and 2005-143**

The American Volleyball Coaches Association (AVCA) Division I women's volleyball coaches do not take an official position regarding the NCAA Proposals of 2005-126 and 2005-143.

The AVCA supports the general concept and rationale of Proposal 2005-126. For the Division I women's volleyball coaches, the challenge has been that the application of the language does not seem to be appropriate. The AVCA would like to see the proposal defeated with the intention that we would work with the sponsor to create the appropriate language that would heed the suitable results.

In addition, it might be appropriate to include other sports in this proposal as they are likely to be experiencing the same challenges regarding their nonchampionship segment (i.e. soccer, field hockey, women's lacrosse).

The AVCA membership is divided regarding Proposal 2005-143. There is no overwhelming support or opposition for this proposal.